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Applicants: Boice et al.
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Title: ADAPTIVE ENCODING OF A SEQUENCE OF STILL FRAMES OR
PARTIALLY STILL FRAMES WITHIN MOTION VIDEO

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Response to Office Action

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in reply to the Office Action mailed June 5, 2000 in connection with the above-referenced application. A response to the Office Action is initially due on or before September 5, 2000 and thus, this Response is timely filed. Allowance of all claims is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks below.

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)Applicant(s): **Boice et al.**

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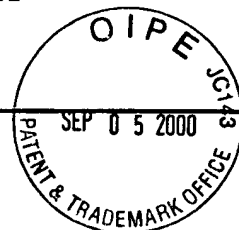
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2713Invention: **ADAPTIVE ENCODING OF A SEQUENCE OF STILL FRAMES OR PARTIALLY STILL FRAMES WITHIN MOTION VIDEO**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

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